



Tuia Pito Ora
New Zealand Institute
of Landscape Architects

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

What type of work does a Landscape Architect do?

Landscape Architects are an important profession for shaping the outside world and creating better health, social, economic and environmental outcomes for the future.

Types of work include:

- Designing public spaces
- Masterplanning towns
- Planning and managing landscapes such as national parks
- Assessing / analysing the landscape
- Undertaking landscape and project management

Landscape Architects nurture communities and help create more livable environments.

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What is a landscape architect?

A Landscape Architect shapes the world around us, designing and creating new landscapes - urban, rural, residential or public spaces as well as implementing strategies for the management and conservation of natural and heritage landscapes.

They have a passion for the landscape, both for its care, and its enhancement by design. The Landscape Architecture profession combines art and science, vision and thought and strategic planning and creativeness.

Who do landscape architects work with?

Landscape Architects are employed in private and public organisations:

- Private sector opportunities are found within landscape architectural, engineering, architectural and planning firms
- Public sector employment opportunities are found within regional, and local councils involved in land planning, development and preservation.

Often Landscape Architects collaborate with other consultants to find solutions and create environmental outcomes that benefit the community, economy and the surrounding landscape.

These include:

- Architects
- Planners
- Engineers
- Ecologists
- Lawyers



Thinking about what to do after high school?

Do you have a passion for any of the following:

- Graphics / Art
- Geography
- Biology
- The environment and the outside world
- The community

Then keep reading and find about the exciting career of a LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT



Where can you study landscape architecture?

If you are interested in becoming a Landscape Architect, then you should begin considering which University might suit your requirements.

In New Zealand, there are three Universities that provide NZILA accredited degrees in Landscape Architecture:

- Lincoln University (Canterbury)
- Victoria University (Wellington)
- Unitec (Auckland)

Want to create spaces for people to enjoy for years to come?

Want to have a positive impact on the environment and create a legacy?

Then become a Landscape Architect today!